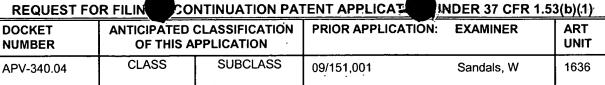
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This is a request for filing a (X) continuation application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/151,001 filed on September 10, 1998, of:

Inventor:

Michael Z. Gilman

Entitled:

New Applications of Gene Therapy Technology

Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor signed application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. The copy of the enclosed papers is as follows:

53 page(s) of specification including:

- 5 page(s) of claims;
- 1 page(s) of abstract; and
- 0 sheet(s) of drawings.
- 2 page(s) of copy of executed declaration and power of attorney of parent application 09/151,001.
- 3 page(s) of copy of Assignment of parent application 09/151,001 to Ariad Gene Therapeutics, Inc.

I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior complete application Serial No.09/151,001 originally filed on 10 September 1998.

The prior application is assigned of record to Ariad Gene Therapeutics, Inc.

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	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	-20=		x \$22.00=	\$
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	-3=		x \$82.00=	
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Also enclosed herein is a copy of a Petition for a Three-months Extension of Time which was filed on September 29, 2000 in the parent application Serial No. 09/151,001.

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